

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re the Application of:   | Confirmation No.: 7383            |
| Kenji DOSAKA et al.         | Art Unit: 1795                    |
| Application No.: 10/717,898 | Examiner: Kishor MAYEKAR          |
| Filed: November 21, 2008    | Attorney Docket No.: 107348-00389 |

For: PROCESS FOR DECREASING CONTENT OF PARTICULATE MATERIAL  
CONTAINED IN EXHAUST GAS FROM LEAN BURN ENGINE OR THE LIKE

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 17, 2008

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated March 26, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 5.